



By MARGARET LONG

Frosh Glee Successful Dance

That Oregon women can be versatile and enjoy an athletic contest as well as one of the largest dances of the term was proven by the large number of co-eds that attended the first conference basketball game Saturday evening, January 21, at McArthur Court and then rushed hurriedly home to change their attire and prepare for the Frosh Glee, held at the Woman's building. One would scarcely recognize some of the beautifully gowned creatures descending the stairway into the grotto at the "Glee" as the same girls, who, only a half hour before, had been enthusiastically cheering from the bleachers at the game.

The grotto effect of the Frosh Glee was achieved successfully. Masses of heavy black material that covered the walls around the room caused an almost sinister atmosphere to prevail, and eerie colored lights focused from the balcony searched out couples on the floor and enhanced the attractiveness of sparkling and radiating dresses. Stalactites hung suspended from the ceiling and on the stage at the end of the room was a cave where a weird fire spit fourth green and red flashes of fire. George McMurry's orchestra occupied a platform and Kenneth Allen sang for the feature of the evening.

Kenneth Curry was general chairman of the dance and Elbert Schroeder his assistant. Ben Weatherwax had charge of the decorations. Patrons and patronesses were: Dr. and Mrs. Arnold Bennett Hall, Dr. and Mrs. John Straub, Dean Virginia Judy Esterly, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shirrell, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Howe, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Romig, Mr. and Mrs. Harl Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Pallett.

Tri Deltas Have Formal Dance

The first of the formals that occupy such an outstanding place in social activities winter term, occurred Friday evening, January 20, at the Delta Delta Delta chapter house. The rooms were decorated in banked greens and red and yellow rosebuds, and from the top of the fireplace, which was entirely covered with salal bush, twinkling red, yellow, green, and blue lights flashed alternately off and on. Supper was served late in the evening in the upstairs of the house where small tables were placed, a dainty bud vase of roses on each table, and soft glowing light provided by candles.

Patrons and patronesses included Dean Virginia Judy Esterly, Mrs. Sadie Sleight, Dr. and Mrs. James Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Spencer, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Ross, Miss Kathleen Blakeley was in charge.

Friendly Hall Has Informal

A "gambling brawl" was the interpretation of an informal dance given by members of Friendly Hall, Friday evening, January 20. Large playing cards made up the decorations in the room and the dance programs closely resembled dice. A unique way of presenting the patrons and patronesses with their programs was provided by a pair of large dice two feet square, in which was enclosed another smaller pair of dice, and the original programs inside of these.

Patrons and patronesses were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Shumaker, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Caswell, and Mr. and Mrs. Lon L. Fuller. Ralph Geyer was chairman of the dance.

Upperclassmen of Beta Rho chapter of Beta Theta Pi entertained at the chapter house Friday night, January 20, with a dinner dance. Pink carnations on the tables in the room added a decorative note and a feature was supplied by George McMurry's trio, composed of Kenneth Allen, Thomas Sandval, and Ted O'Hara.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Romig and Mr. and Mrs. Beldon Babbb acted as patrons and patronesses.

At the chapter house of Oregon Beta chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon, upperclassmen of the fraternity entertained with a dinner dance Friday evening, January 20. The house was decorated in cut flowers and palms.

Fred Meeds had charge of the dance. Patrons and patronesses were: Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hermance and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Robertson.

Week-end visitors to Portland were Miss Onetta Jantzen and Miss Erna Wiggin.

Elton Schroeder of Myrtle Point, Jason McCune and Verne Fudge of Portland were guests at the Alpha Tau Omega house during the week-end.

Honoring Mrs. Jeanette C. Lange, Kappa Delta house mother, who has recently returned from Europe, a

tea was given last Wednesday afternoon, January 18, at the chapter house. Mrs. Sue Badollet and Mrs. A. E. Caswell poured. In the receiving line were Miss Ethel Montgomery, Mrs. M. K. Cameron, and the guest of honor.

Mothers of Eugene members of Theta Delta chapter of Delta Delta Delta entertained at the chapter house with a bridge tea, Saturday afternoon, January 21.

Members of the Girls' Oregon club honored unaffiliated girls on the campus at an informal party Friday evening in the Woman's building. Dancing formed the main part of the entertainment and featured the campus at an informal party, tures included negro spirituals by Lois Tuttle, Juanita Wolff, and Lucille Lion, and a burlesque acted by Frances Metcalf, Julia Brauninger, and Lois Tuttle. At the close of the evening, Mrs. H. D. Shelton, one of the patronesses of the club, explained the purpose of the organization, which is to provide social activity and contacts for its members.

Much anticipation has been aroused over the Officers' Military Ball, an annual affair given by the University R. O. T. C., and which will take place next Friday night, January 27, at the Eugene hotel. Roy Herndon has charge of the dance.

Jerry Gunther, '27, of Silverton, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Beta Theta Pi house.

Pi Lambda Theta, national educational fraternity, entertained its initiates at a banquet Sunday evening, January 23.

Communications

(Continued from page two) fond of them and then preach the needs of the school to them."

As President Hall has said: "We want the fathers of our students to come to the University, enjoy the hospitality and our splendid 'Oregon Spirit,' see just where the classes are held; where the boys and girls live and play; also to become acquainted with each other." This, I believe, is a very fair and good reason for Dad's Day. Many dads, who gladly furnish all or part of the money for their son's or daughter's education, often never even get an opportunity to see the institution which directs that education—to say nothing of knowing the way in which the money provided is spent. Therefore, it appears to me that Dad's Day which, at least, will partially overcome such an unfortunate situation, is certainly justifiable.

If Dad is unable to be here, he will at least be pleased to have received an invitation from the University and his son and daughter.

L. D. further states that "our president went through the east and collected scalps to the total of a hundred and thirty thousand dollars which went to our medical school; and now he has come home to raise the rest from our fond parents." In the first place, L. D. was very discourteous in his reference to our

president, Dr. Hall; in the second place, the inference is wholly unfounded and untrue.

Dr. Hall did not collect scalps in the east. He merely presented the needs of our medical school to an eastern foundation and L. D. should rejoice that our university has a president with enough intiative and ability to get such a gift. The dads will not be asked for money. I will grant that they will see our poor equipment and buildings. However, it will not be necessary for us to point out our necessities to them; they will point them out to us. They will, indeed, be surprised to see the poor library and the other inadequate facilities their sons and daughters have with which to secure a college education.

I will further concede that our dads will learn that the university, of which their sons and daughters are a part, needs their moral support. Again, however, no request will be necessary; they will gladly volunteer. Dads are only too happy to serve their sons and daughters and the institution which they attend.

L. D. has called the invitation sent his father by Dr. Hall a tearful one, and it appears that certain questions were asked as a result of the invitation. We too have a dad. He received no tearful invitation and he asked no discourteous questions. He was highly pleased to have received a letter from Dr. Hall, and from his sons. He is a real dad. He will be here for Dad's Day if at all possible.

Now that I have at least attempted to answer L. D.'s charges, may I just say a word concerning Dad's Day. Dad's Day is new with us, but has been held for several years at the University of Illinois and, as I understand, at several other mid-western institutions. At those institutions it has been pronounced a decided success both by the students and their dads. This will be our first Dad's Day and I hope that it will be so greatly enjoyed by us and our dads that it will become a custom here and later one of our finest traditions. Dr. Hall is to be commended rather than ridiculed for instituting it on our campus.

I hope this communication has not been discourteous. However, L. D. chose to draw conclusions without sufficient evidence. The student body and Dr. Hall need his constructive efforts rather than his destructive criticism. HERBERT SOCOLOFSKY.

Regents

(Continued from page one) about January 1, 1929, Mrs. Irene Gerlinger, regent in charge of the campaign for this building, announced.

The board voted to apply the \$20,000 bequest of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Harmon, of Portland, for this purpose, which increases the cash and pledges amount to \$155,449.

Appointments Made

The regents also authorized several faculty members to make trips out of the state to represent the University in several educational

meetings during the next few weeks.

Faculty leaves and appointments were also granted. Miss Amelia Ferry was appointed as social service nurse at the Doernbecher hospital, and Lawrence Selling was advanced to the head of the department of medicine.

The University voted to purchase the tennis courts erected some time ago, which are now held under private title, for \$23,000. The tennis courts will hereafter be free, due to increased revenue from the raising of the physical education fee for students from \$2 to \$3. This also provides for the maintenance of the three old courts back of the library which will again be open to play.

A fee of \$10 will be charged freshmen who come to the University deficient in English. They will be required to take English A, not a part of the regular curricula, and University officials feel they should pay for this.

Property amounting to \$21,475, near the University, was purchased recently, the committee reported.

Judge J. W. Hamilton, Roseburg, was re-elected president of the board; Fred Fisk, Eugene, was re-elected vice-president; and L. H. Johnson, comptroller of the University, was re-elected secretary.

Politics

(Continued from page one) also has strong support among the farmers of the Middlewest. He favors agricultural relief. Andrew Mellon, secretary of the treasury, has signified his intention of not running, but that has failed to stop

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some agitation among G. O. P. leaders of proposing his name for the nomination.

Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, hails from California. Although he has given out no definite policies to date, the part he played during the Mississippi and New England floods has gained him a vast host of followers. Charles E. Hughes has received a considerable mention in connection with the nomination despite the fact that he refuses to be thought of as a candidate. He has received a great deal of publicity as secretary of state and recently as the leader of the American delegation to the Pan-American conference at Havana, Cuba.

The questions which will appear on the ballots will be ready for publication tomorrow. William Maddox, assistant professor of political science, and Ray Nash, editor of the Emerald, are in charge of preparing them.

Voting on the ballots will be handled by a representative of each living organization. Unaffiliated students will be able to cast their votes from a booth in front of the old library between the hours of 9 and 12 Thursday morning. The bal-

lots will be passed out to the representatives of the houses Wednesday evening so that they can be returned early Thursday morning.

Military Ball To Be Given Friday Night At The Eugene Hotel

It will be West Point come to Oregon when the R. O. T. C. cadets, clad in trimly pressed uniforms, shiny brown boots, and Sam Browne belts, gather with their partners in a surrounding of flags and crossed sabers and muskets at the Eugene Hotel Friday night, January 27, for the Military Ball, held annually during the winter term by the campus R. O. T. C. unit.

The personnel of the directorate in charge of the Military Ball, announced yesterday by Roy Herndon, general chairman, is as follows: Decorations, Lawrence Shaw; music, Bob Keeney; program and invitations, Palmer Schlegel; feature, Phil Smith; and refreshments, Robert Walker.

The patrons and patronesses selected for the Military Ball are: President and Mrs. Arnold Bennett Hall; Dean and Mrs. Elmer L. Shir-

rell; Dean and Mrs. James H. Gilbert; Colonel and Mrs. W. S. Sinclair; Captain and Mrs. Clarence H. Bragg; Captain and Mrs. F. M. Moore; and Lieutenant and Mrs. George F. Herbert.

All graduate cadets from the campus R. O. T. C. unit will be invited to attend the ball, Herndon said, and also the military officers and ton of the leading cadets from the R. O. T. C. unit at Oregon State College.

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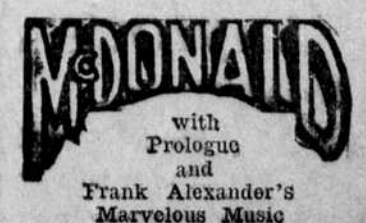
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To those who saw it yesterday— We thank them for their many expressions of praise.

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